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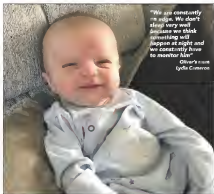
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## GIVE OUR LITTLE MAN A CHANCE OF A LONG LIFE



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Oliver's mum  
Lydia Cameron

### Parents plea for help to fund life-saving heart operation in America for baby son Oliver

Ben Armstrong Reporter

IT HADTEN MONTHS of desperately trying to raise £100,000 to give their baby the best chance of life.

Then Lydia Cameron's baby Oliver was born with a rare heart condition on January 20th and his life was in jeopardy.

The couple from Watlington have so far raised more than £10,000 in just under two weeks but need more to give their son the best chance of a long and happy life.

Oliver's parents noticed he had breathing difficulties within minutes of being born at the John Radcliffe Hospital.

He was rushed to the neonatal intensive care unit where a number of scans and tests were carried out. The Cameron's were then given devastating news that Oliver had found a tumour called fibrosarcoma, which is his heart, as his left ventricle.

The cancer is a very rare and reported to be one of the most common in the world and one that is not usually found in babies. It is a cancer that is not usually found in babies.

They have now seen the condition, and being told they are not willing to risk trying to remove the tumour.

Lydia said: "I had a normal pregnancy. The problem was not picked up at any scans, so we thought we were having a healthy baby."

"We were constantly on edge. We don't sleep very well because we think something will happen at night, and we constantly have to monitor him."

Oliver has been sent home for the time being, but the couple have to track his condition very closely on a heart monitor. It has been said that if they need to call an ambulance.

She added: "We have been told we need to arrange for the surgery to take place in America. In the 10 weeks of his life, Oliver has had five episodes of tachycardia where the heart beats out of rhythm, and one he died. It is constantly on and off between 10 and 15."

On the funding page, she posted: "It's a heart-breaking experience for any parent, to watch"

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## Regional Weather

**THURSDAY** Very early fog quickly clearing. It will be another clear and dry day with good sunny spells through the day. Becoming warmer by the afternoon, with light winds. Maximum temperature 25 °C.

**OUTLOOK FOR FRIDAY TO SUNDAY** Very warm sunny spells. Friday, but perhaps some isolated heavy, thundering showers developing. Cloudier with sun later. Rain clearing early Saturday, then bright spells with scattered showers over the weekend.

### WEEKEND SUMMARY



FRIDAY  
DAY 21°C  
NIGHT 13°C



SATURDAY  
DAY 18°C  
NIGHT 10°C



SUNDAY  
DAY 17°C  
NIGHT 10°C

# Sharing joy of rural skills

FARMING skills old and new were showcased at the annual county show at the weekend.

The Oxfordshire Young Farmers County Show at Little Wymondley's South Trust hosted the largest rural youth club in the UK on Sunday. The show raises money to keep Oxfordshire's Young Farmers clubs running for people dedicated to a life in agriculture and rural life.

The Young Farmers compete in more than 100 competitions on the day and visitors can learn skills such as team riding, fencing, and riding in domestic classes such as country and lower jumping, as well as fun classes such as blindfold cake decorating and charade races.

There were also lots of new finds, a display of vintage tractors and a machinery bazaar, the apex of a motorcycle display and more.

There was also a display of books pulled by tractors, all following this year's theme of 'around the world'.

Andy Green, Oxfordshire County Show Committee chairman, said: "This show was a great success. We were able to show Oxfordshire what a great organisation Young Farmers is. Lots of local businesses came along to help out."

"We were very impressed with the competition entries from the Young Farmers clubs all over the year."

"It was great to see members of the public taking part in competitions and cheering their favourite teams."



Skills involved in agriculture.

The Oxfordshire young Farmers' club is one of the biggest rural clubs in the UK.

Young farmers took part in a well-building challenge and also showed their skills on a tractor with the 'around the world' theme.

# New chair for trouble-hit health trust

A NHS chairman has been appointed to oversee the trust as it moves to new premises in Oxford.

Agnes Hunt has been named as the new chairman of the trust, which is one of the largest NHS trusts in the country.

Ms Hunt has been working as a senior adviser to the NHS and has also held a number of other senior roles in the NHS, including as chair of the NHS Foundation Trust.

Ms Hunt said: "I'm delighted to have been given this opportunity."

"My focus has always been on improving patient care and delivering

quality services that fit the needs of patients and service users, and so I believe my experience and clinical background will be valuable in helping to lead the trust through this period of change."

"Oxfordshire Health has been an important part of my career, and I am very grateful to have been asked to step into the shoes of the previous chairman."

"With this new leadership and a board of people appointed from across the NHS, we will continue to develop a culture of change and innovation that will benefit all our patients, ensuring the best care for every opportunity. I look forward to working with the trust, the NHS, and the future."

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## Help us take Oliver to US

From front page

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Oliver's owner with his dog Oliver.

# OUT OF THIS WORLD

## Telescope set to explore the unknown

Eva Antoniadou Reporter

OXFORD University scientists are set to take the world's largest optical telescope into space to explore the unknown of the universe.

The ESO will have the ability to look at objects like galaxies and will enable scientists to form a detailed picture of the cosmos at light years away.

It was revealed in northern Chile last week near the site of the future project which is set for completion in 2019.

Oxford University scientists designed and constructed an on-site model within the device called ESO 3.6M.

Stephen Thorne, principal investigator for ESO3.6M and Professor of Astrophysics at Oxford's department of physics, said: "The new ESO represents a big leap forward in capability and that makes them an

real use it to find many interesting things about the universe that we have no knowledge of today."

"It is the dream of exploring the unknown that most excites me about the ESO. It will be an engineering feat, and at the same time, it will give us the ability to look at things that we have never been able to see."

The ESO's extremely large telescope will be built by the European Southern Observatory (ESO) and will feature a main mirror that is 3.6m in diameter. It will be an optical telescope in Chile. Over the course of 2019, the ESO will conduct observations that are simply unimaginable today and it will surely require numerous people around the world to build such a telescope. It will be the first of its kind in the world.

"This will bring great benefits to the ESO and the world, and to the rest of the world,"

Patrick Taylor, President of the



Images of how the ESO will look when completed

ESO Council, added: "The ESO will be the most powerful and sensitive telescope of its kind."

A time capsule, created by members of the ESO team and sealed at the event, will serve as a lasting memory of the research and the state of the world today.

Comments include a copy of a book describing the original specifications of the telescope, images of the staff that have and will play a role in its construction and a poster of the ESO's mission.



## Man arrested after bomb hoax

A 36-year-old man has been arrested after a bomb hoax led to much of a shopping centre being closed.

The Oxford Centre for the Homeless, which was closed at 10.30am, was arrested after police were called to a suspicious item at 10.30am.

Thames Valley Police said at 11.30am that the suspect was not at the scene.

The man from Epsom, who was arrested on suspicion of making a bomb hoax, has been released on bail.

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surround the immediate area to ensure the public was kept safe.

"If the necessary people (the police) were present at the scene, it would be a good idea to ensure that information from the public is always very important - you are the one who can tell us, and everyone can play their part in keeping us safe."

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## Man admits murder by stabbing

A MAN who stabbed his victim dead after a violent fight in a public house has admitted the murder.

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# Memorial seeks to keep alive spirit of freedom fighters

By Annemarie Rogers

A MEMORIAL to honour the men and women who fought in the Spanish Civil War is set to be unveiled in Dulwich.

Thirty-one people from Ireland, Spain, and of whom died, fought against the fascist forces of General Franco and will be remembered in a memorial unveiled at Dulwich South Park on June 10.

The names of the 31 killed will appear on the memorial. The 31 people were remembered in a detailed list, a symbol of hope and defiance, creating a mosaic, representing the "power of the word".

Colin Conry, chair of the Dulwich International Group for Memorial Committee, said his wife, Audrey Conry, is the mother of the 31 who fought in the conflict, and has been campaigning for the statue since 1944.

He said: "The Spanish Civil War is a much neglected area of 20th-century history and the conflict of World War Two."

"The International Brigade Memorial Trust established clarity that 'Spain' alone the memory and spirit of the men and women who volunteered to fight Franco and defend democracy in Spain."

"By erecting a memorial in Dulwich we want to recognise the unique contribution made by the people of Dulwich and the volunteers in the Spanish Civil War."

"The memorial will be unveiled to the memory of the 31 people who fought in the Spanish Civil War and one for Dulwich is being unveiled."

He added: "At a time when our democracy is under attack we need to remember the men and women who fought in the Spanish Civil War."



An aerial impression of the memorial in South Park and Dulwich. Anthony Conry at home in Dulwich before going to Spain with the International Brigade where he died during an aerial bombardment at the battle for Brunete in July 1937.

appreciate it as it is all the more important, it is a reminder of those who fought in the Spanish Civil War and the power of the word."

Speaking about the campaign to get the memorial, he said the group had been working for some time to get the memorial, and he said they had been working for some time to get the memorial, and he said they had been working for some time to get the memorial.

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## Join big tea party and make new friends

TED's elderly support for the elderly is a national MP and invites elderly people to join a big tea party in the city.

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Paul Roberts, chief executive of the charity, said: "The elderly are a 'hidden' group for us to see."

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## Pupils tough PE lesson at hands of a champion

Sarahella McGeehan, Reporter

**PRINCIPAL** Andrew Ellis has made sure that children in his school are fit and healthy. He spent the morning at Keyford Park Free School talking to young stars about the importance of being active and living healthily.

Ellis, who has been awarded a Champion of the Year award, said: "It is a privilege to be able to go into schools across the UK, as part of my role as Secretary of the Active Schools Association, and speak to them about the importance of good nutrition and keeping active."

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## Cards invite pupils to open up about their mental health

A SCHOOL has launched an initiative to open up discussion about mental health with help cards for its students.

Walsingham School officers are saying mental health officers are not something to be ashamed of and have launched a scheme to encourage students to share their feelings in a safe space to be comfortable in talking about their mental health.

The purpose of the 'mental health help cards' is to ensure pupils have access to available support should they require it.

In a statement released by the school, officers said: "One of the areas that school officers have been focusing on this year is mental health. We recognise how important

it is, particularly for young people who will inevitably encounter many stresses throughout their education. Our aim has been to make sure every student in the school knows what help is available to them, both in school and elsewhere."

They added: "It is perfectly normal to have ups and downs in your mood. Sometimes you may feel stressed or anxious and other times you may feel positive and confident."

"Mental health issues is something that can affect anyone, no matter how old. Looking after your mental health is just as important as looking after your physical health."

"Mental health officers are only someone that you may think, but help is available."

## Family festival

THE Walsingham Festival is back with its own layout and family festival.

The free outdoor event at the Walsingham Festival will see a variety of sports, games, and activities, including a performance area, a 'Carnival' area, a 'Carnival' area, a 'Carnival' area, and a 'Carnival' area.

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For more information visit [www.walsinghamfestival.co.uk](http://www.walsinghamfestival.co.uk)

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## Art adds depth to glorious gardens

AN outdoor exhibition will showcase some of the best art in the garden of a historic house and its surrounding gardens.

Artworks will be on display at the National Trust's Great Court and Garden at Keyford Park, near Keyford, Hampshire, from Saturday and Sunday 10th and 11th June. The exhibition is part of the National Trust's 'Art in the Garden' series, which aims to showcase the best art in the garden of a historic house and its surrounding gardens.

Great Court's head gardener Alan Bennett, who has been at the Great Court for 20 years, said: "It is a privilege to be able to go into schools across the UK, as part of my role as Secretary of the Active Schools Association, and speak to them about the importance of good nutrition and keeping active."

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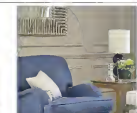


recently retired Taylor Crumpton building.

David Crumpton is a building contractor who has been working in the industry for over 20 years. He has a passion for building and has been involved in many projects, including the restoration of historic buildings.

He said: "I enjoy the challenge of restoring buildings and seeing them come back to life. It is a great feeling when you see a building that has been neglected for so long and you see it being brought back to its former glory."

Also exhibiting at Key Studio, which is a new art gallery and studio, are several other artists, including a local artist who has been working in the area for many years.



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WILL that 100 people gathered hand in hand on Oxford's famous Port Meadow to put nature at the heart of the upcoming general election.

Prospective Oxford MP's joined local residents and activist support on as Friday to form what was a sign of appreciation for the environment and threat to it.

Tom Brackley, director of public affairs at RBO, spoke of the need to protect wildlife habitats.

He said: "Port Meadow is part of the Oxford Meadows Special Area of Conservation (SAC), currently protected by 100 nature lover the Wildlife Directors."

"But there's no guarantee this protection will continue after the UK leaves the EU. It will lose the protec-

tion for this place it could be vulnerable to the impacts of development or land reversion."

"The Wildlife Trusts and prospective parliamentary candidates for David North and Alun Davies and W&A say as well as Oxford East to attend the gathering and speak of their parties' natural assets landscape and the environment."

Maria Tibbitt, Labour candidate for Oxford West and Abingdon, said: "We know that the natural world matters have borders and we do the political work which put it at risk. Our farmers and fishers are the custodians of our rich and diverse landscape that encompasses the garden of England."

"Protecting our environment means working collectively to put

nature at the heart of public decisions and environment as central to our future."

Chris Atwell who is standing as an Independent in Oxford East said: "We're using Port Meadow as a platform and a last to stop. We need Parliament to be accountable to us and to ensure that the landscape will stay as the place it is now."

Oxfordshire Labour Liberal Democrat candidate in Oxford East spoke of proposed legislation to protect the environment.

She said: "The parties would reverse the current sharp decline in the loss of woodlands and biodiversity and ensure that every UK citizen over the next 10 years, and protect remaining ancient woodlands."

## Palace fun for Scouts

MORE than 4,000 young people took part in a camping and cooking event over spring bank holiday weekend. Young scouts had the chance to join in high-adventure activities in Oxford and make new friends as part of the largest gathering of scouts in the country.

The scouts camped on the grounds of Clarendon Palace with thousands of their counterparts from across the UK and around the world, including Australia, Korea, India and Germany.

They enjoyed everything from shooting to sailing, and also took part in raising awareness for causes in their global community through challenges such as 'Woodland', 'Ordnance' and 'The Guide Dogs for the Blind Association'.

Paul Thompson, who led the 1,000-strong core of adult volunteers for the event, said: "We were so excited to welcome Scouts from across Oxfordshire, around the UK and overseas to create happy memories and friendships through challenges."

Twelve-year-old Tom Goodwin, from 100 Clarendon Road, Oxford, got to

Young Scouts got to shoot out in the range



test make his challenge being named top of the class. Just 17 years old.

Tom said: "I was delighted to see all the scouts and to be part of the event. It was a great experience and I was able to meet people from all over the world."

Explorer Scout, David Llewellyn, 14, said: "It has been a great experience and I have made a lot of new friends. I have also learned a lot about the world and the scouts."

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Friends with other could draw other residents and boost about how they live.

Seven-year-old Emma Smith, girl from here, said: "I had a really good time doing loads of activities."

Emma's sister, Madeline, who is a former local leader, said: "It's great to bring my friends to this event. They got to meet all the other children."

Emma's mother, Sarah, said: "It was a really good day for the young people to have the time of their lives."

"Of course, none of this would be possible without the support and enthusiasm of the adults who give their time."



Seven Scouts sang a drumming session.



Two boys from the Scouts sang a song to the judges.



Two-year-old Emma Smith sang a song to the judges.

## Proposal for trial ban of taxis and buses in centre

HAVE your say on a proposed 'experiment' 14-month ban on taxis and buses from using a major city centre route.

Quon Street was used exclusively by pedestrians between June and November last year during part of the Reading City Centre redevelopment.

And a consultation, launched last Thursday, suggests a plan to close it again to all vehicles to make it safer for cyclists and pedestrians.

A decision is expected in July and the trial could be in place in October.

The Oxfordshire County Council consultation also covers potential improvements to its only one-way street, and some arrangements for loading in St Aldgate and High Street.

Julian Hillier, county council director for planning and place, said: "We need to see growth in Oxford become more people-friendly to the city and using the roads."

"The things we are proposing are designed to improve safety and reduce the number of cars on the road. We are not proposing to ban taxis and buses from the city centre, but we are proposing to ban them from the city centre during the trial period."



Quon Street, viewed from High Street, showing the number of pedestrians typically using the street.

Picture: Daily Competition

under for Quon Street as a trial - it would be a test of how much space and the opportunity for people to have a say."

Oxford City Council "strongly supports" the proposals and the county council has been involved with the trial period.

Paul Southall, managing director of Oxford Bus Company, said his firm has "a strong relationship" with the county council and will feedback their observations. The consultation closes on June 14 and can be viewed online at [www.oxfordbus.co.uk/consultation](http://www.oxfordbus.co.uk/consultation) or in person at County Hall.

## Housing fraud

A WOMAN has been convicted of fraud after using a housing agency to buy a house at the same time as selling out her own property.

Kate Jones, of Church Street, Banbury, was found guilty of fraud after buying a house at the same time as selling out her own property. She was also found guilty of fraud after buying a house at the same time as selling out her own property.

She was given a 18-month prison sentence suspended for 18 months and a supervision order at Banbury Magistrates' Court.

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## Candle warning

PROTESTERS have reminded people of the importance of working safely after an unattended candle set fire to a house in Oxford.

On June 1, a North Avenue house caught fire after a candle set fire to a house in Oxford. The fire was caused by a candle set fire to a house in Oxford.

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# School ready to start teaching first 120 pupils in September

George Welch Reporter

THIS last week has been hot and the boys have been hardworking. Debut's arrival is on.

Started after a team of public men searched in the town 20 years ago. A new school, based at Great Western Park, is ready to open its doors to 120 Year 7 pupils in September.

Construction of the building is well advanced. The school is the end of the road. Headteacher Hannah Wilson said: "We are excited about the wonderful future this school has within the community. Our modern working hours and meals will ensure students staff parents and community partners."

"Our priorities about educating the whole child and ensuring the future of education that are also important to our high-achieving system."

"Teachers, parents and staff will be at the school in September to complete the school building work."

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From left, Laura Mawson, School Head, Michael Pugh, governor, Anna-Julia, primary school leader, Hannah Wilson, Headteacher, Alice Anderson, primary school leader, Mark Roberts, head of the school, and community partner at Great Western Park.

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## Grant to help forces families

ARMYVETS has helped to set up a grant of over £100,000 for military families. Some 100 families have been awarded the grant by the Armed Forces Community Fund. The grant is a new initiative to help families that will help them overcome the challenges of being a family.

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## Have a mad time at town's big lunch

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# 'Local treasure' honoured for his service with empire medal

Eve Antoniewicz Reporter

A VETERAN and 'local treasure' has been honoured with the British Empire Medal for his lifelong service and strong community presence.

Brian Hughes was presented with the award by the Queen's representative, the Vice Lord Lieutenant of Oxfordshire John Horwood, at Sunday Town Hall on Sunday.

After completing his service as the 10th, Brian has been a poppy appeal collector and has personally raised £10,000 in over 30 years.

The ECM was awarded to Brian as the New Bears' Lifetime for his many years of outstanding service to the Royal British Legion (RBL).

Born in 1923, Brian served as a Royal Electrical and Mechanical Engineer in the Royal Canadian Corps. He was awarded the General Service Medal for his time there.

He also received Certificates of Appreciation from the British RBL, French, and in 1995 was awarded the RBL Gold Badge.

Brian has also been awarded several standard bearer of poppy appeal for 30 years, helping to raise over £10,000 in service personnel killed in combat.



Brian said it was a great honour to receive the medal.

Speaking about his work for the poppy appeal, he said: "It is intended to be a lot of resources and it helps people who need it. It is about all about the First World War but what is happening now is with all over the world, including Afghanistan."

He said he hopes to continue his work as long as he is fit and healthy.

Despite his age and health problems, he continues to collect in all weather and has been to house and street collection still make up 40 per cent of Brian's service across collections total and 30 per cent overall.

He also collects regularly for the



Brian Hughes, pictured with the Vice Lord Lieutenant of Oxfordshire John Horwood and left, county councillor Lynda Aitken and right, Mayor of Henley Kate Wilson and above left, with his daughter Deborah.

10th (British) Veterans Association and the Royal Air Force Veterans Fund.

Brian visited the British Empire Medal ceremony and regularly takes time to explain to young people the background and aims of the RBL.

A friend of Brian's said: "Brian is a wonderful man, he is a true gentleman and he is a true gentleman."

"The medal is significant because it recognizes an outstanding poppy appeal collector. It is a great honour and a privilege too."

"He really is a local treasure and one of the best of Henley. The honour not only reflects well on him but also shows how proud we are to have him. He has done so much good work."

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# Support The Oxford Paper's charity of the year – Play2Give Have a ball and help charity's target

George Welch, Reporter

THE OXFORD PAPER'S charity of the year is celebrating its 10th anniversary soon.

The five featured organisations, which last month were the OAP's best local charities over the last decade, will be held a final gala ball at Oxford Civic Hall on September 18.

The event will mark both the Oxford-based fundraising group's and one of

its main beneficiaries – the Oxford Children's Hospital – 10th anniversary.

It is understood that the OAP has reached its decade.

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evolution, a play area and medical equipment.

Co-organiser James Bart, who is both treasurer and senior of Oxford's Westgate & Oxford, said he is "great to support such a wonderful fundraising organisation".

He said: "I feel strongly about supporting local groups and seeing how money can be used to help the right things to help. This really has achieved since a very young age of 10, and now it is, it is incredible."

"We have never stopped and we should all be in a state of becoming person that the whole town of Oxford and beyond can be proud of."

If successful, the ball will be the most recent in OAP's growing events calendar.

To purchase or to receive tickets, email [play2give@oxfordpaper.co.uk](mailto:play2give@oxfordpaper.co.uk) or call organiser Sarah Swanson, at 01203 337078.

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## Brain injury charity thanks vital volunteers during special week

A BRAIN injury charity is thanking volunteers. Work by volunteers has helped the charity to make the most of the last injury season.

Headway Cymru is also doing the special week, which starts today to thank volunteers to encourage more people to help them.

One volunteer is Sam Gray, a retired who has been helping at the charity for some months.

Talking about his volunteer experience, the former teacher said: "Working has helped me to build the confidence I needed."

"I find this a great gateway to get back into work as I have been unemployed for some time because of a neurological condition."

"I find volunteering for Headway extremely fulfilling – the staff are very understanding and caring individuals."

"But it is also very hard sometimes because you find the most challenging in the act and it is not always as easy as it seems to be. It is a full time job with very little pay."

"I always leave each session



feeling inspired by the staff and the service users."

The Westinghouse-based charity is calling on more people to volunteer and help make a difference during their free time and skills.

Chief executive Jane Miller said: "It is a great way for our wonderful volunteers to make a difference to the lives of service users with all the activities and support they need."

"They also make a difference to the lives of service users and their families. We can't thank them enough."

If you are interested in volunteering or want more information, please email [volunteers@headway.org.uk](mailto:volunteers@headway.org.uk) or call 01585 67043 or email [volunteers@headway.org.uk](mailto:volunteers@headway.org.uk)



From left, the team front row are: Zach Giddens, Andrew Purvis, Billy Nelson, Max Marsh, Connor Courtney, William Cheery, Elton Tilling, Alex Ray and Connor Harris, with their team managers David White and Tina Tilling and Pease Porridge Senior Manager Martin White and community champion Alex Tansley.

## Youth team scores new kit from superstore

THE first leg was of the football season was to a junior team from Pease Porridge taking a new kit.

Pease Porridge Youth Under 11s, who play at Tuckers Park, will take to the pitch in their new purple, green to their by the town's Pease Porridge.

Clark (see below) and the team is "extremely grateful" for the donation.

It added: "The players were all really excited about getting the new kit and I am sure they will enjoy playing in it."

Manager Mark senior manager of the Pease Porridge Youth Under 11s, who play at Tuckers Park, will take to the pitch in their new purple, green to their by the town's Pease Porridge.

The football club, which has 10

years, is a two-minute walk from the Pease Porridge.

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## Post office in need of new address

THE post office in Wallingford is set to be relocated again as the management in charge of its operation is looking for a new sub-postmaster to take on its management.

Adrian Kempson, who manages the post office in Wallingford, said: "The post office is stepping down its sub-postmaster after a decade-long sub-postmaster has been a great officer."

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# Candidates reveal the issues they hope will secure a seat on June 8

## Who will get your vote?

### Wantage



**Rachel Mann, Labour**

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**Ed Vining, Conservative**

More housing less traffic in the night, and I will work to ensure we have the infrastructure support it. I need to see safety improvements at the A41 and not be working building to make this happen. I want to ensure we have the A41 we support research and look at it.



**Sue Roberts, Green**

Greens aim to be a true force for bringing national issues to our local places and when green spaces are rich in natural and local life.

The Conservative Party have ripped up-upgrading local services around the town, where, and where houses should be built.



**Chris Carrigan, Liberal Democrat**

Our local economy is extremely limited to European expenditure and partnership.

As a council member, I believe we need somebody at the forefront who understands the town and technology and who will speak up for what our local economy needs.



Neither UKIP candidate David McLeod standing in Wantage nor Tim Scott standing in Banbury provided their information and pictures within the deadline given.

### Banbury

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I will continue to fight for schools, housing and deliver investment in our infrastructure.



**John Henson, Liberal Democrat**

This election is about two senior our public services the NHS and schools and our place in the world.

The Liberal and other groups are under threat and there are plans to cut funds to schools causing possible closure. Under the Tories, people pay for most everything on their own time.



**Ian Middleton, Green**

My top priority is to deliver our NHS and schools and our place in the world.

You cannot have the lack of previously affordable housing for people on average incomes and I would like to see a note on the town of our children the NHS.



**Steve Woodcock, Labour**

I will fight for decent homes, more teachers and smaller class sizes, for a properly equipped Banbury Hospital and much more. I will fight for local jobs and opportunities and put our local economy first. Local jobs and opportunities are the key to our future and we will ensure that our local economy is protected and secure for the future.



**Debbie Kirk, UKIP**

The government must know that if direct is followed then UKIP will hold them to account. UKIP have proven that we do not necessarily need to be involved in change government policy for the better, and a vote for UKIP will ensure that continues. Let's keep the pressure on.



**Suzanne Edwards, Independent**

With support for our hospital, NHS and public services and an honest vote on retaining EU, I will, as an independent, make a significant difference. People will change their voting pattern for something that important. As an independent I will represent Banbury line of residents.

## Henley

**Patrick Bagg, The Labour Party**

I will serve as a hard-working and hard-working MP for the highest standards of Parliamentary integrity, transparency and propriety through open, knowledge-based economy and collaboration with partners abroad, build the NHS and education properly and fight to tackle climate change

**Robin Bennett, Green**

My priorities are housing and the natural environment. We can pay more for the right kind of houses, in the right place, at the right price. I'll push for a second referendum on the terms of the EU exit and the proper funding for our NHS, policing, social care and public services.

**Oliver Kavanagh, Labour**

I will fight for increases in welfare, less funding to attract the best staff, maintain facilities and encourage every pupil to achieve. We'll get to everyone from home to hospital with properly integrated national health and social care. We have to provide affordable homes for families to build their lives.

**Laura Cragg, Liberal Democrat**

I oppose school funding cuts, the abolition of free primary school lunches, and the introduction of new grammar schools. We need better funding for NHS and social care. Homes should be more affordable and I want to safeguard the local economy by opposing a third airport.

**John Howell, Conservative**

I want the right the firms deal to as to define our future, our place in the world, our economic security and our future prosperity. There is a tremendous opportunity to work alongside big business. Let's have work opportunities to create such as education funding, health and planning.

## Make sure your vote counts on June 8

THAT's all it takes up for you as Oxfordshire - in addition to them have candidates are also standing in Oxford East, Oxford West and Abingdon and Woking.

Oxford East candidates: Suzanne Bingham, Conservative; Andrew Dodds, Labour; Larry Sanders, Green; Kirsten Johnson, Liberal Democrat; and Chabir.

**Archie, Independent**

Oxford West and Abingdon candidates: Nicole Blackwood, Conservative; Mary Talbot, Labour; Layla Moran, Liberal Democrat; and Alan Harris, UKIP.

Woking candidates: Robert Coates, Conservative; Lorraine Carter, Labour; Lou Lafferty, Liberal Democrat; Glenn Lanks, Green; and Alan Craig, UKIP.

It is now too late to register to vote and too late to apply for a proxy vote.

Most people will by now have received a voting card which should be taken with you when you go to vote.

If you have any queries you should contact your local Electoral Registration Office at your district council - Walnut Hill White House.



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# Simple steps homeowners can take now to protect their assets.

Head of April King Legal Paul King explains why some homeowners are doing too little, too late to protect their hard-earned assets.

## Care Cost Fees

"A lot of people are still unaware that if they need care in later life, their assets will be incensed by the Local Authority to help pay for their care."

"The Local Authority will look to use the assets of a person until they get down to a lower limit of £16,256, when the Local Authority will take over for care."

"For instance, my own grandmother sadly passed away recently in the age of 90. My grandfather had lost many years' career and left everything to her."

"When she needed care in the last six years of her life, because my grandfather had left everything to her, the house and all the estate was controlled in the Local Authority's name."

**"Our clients tell us, 'We've worked hard all our lives, why should the Local Authority get it all?'"**

"Just as she died, she had gone down to that lower limit of £16,256 and that's all her children inherited."

"There are many myths about the state people can take to protect their assets from being used to pay their care."

"This often cost is that a parent should simply give their house over to the children, so, it won't be taken into consideration for means testing. That's just not true."

"Local Authorities will actually look to see if you're 'well beyond giving' yourself (if an asset is given property value, going back over any period of time."

"Sometimes people think that if the gift is made seven years prior to the house sale, this is not as to the seven-year rule only applied to inheritance. This and not Local Authority care."

"The solution is for couples to simply not leave everything to each other in the first place."

"When my grandmother would have done a little bit half of the house in trust to her children, stating that they couldn't have a while in life, my grandmother, who still of me, we call this Property Trust With."

"If my grandmother had left her half of the house in trust to the children then when my grandmother subsequently moved into a care home she would only have been using half of her own half of the house, but my grandmother's half would have been safe."

**"Why should he have to contribute his half when he didn't receive any care?"**

"The important factor is that couples need to act in advance. Once one party dies or loses mental capacity through a stroke for example, then they are no longer in a position to do this legally and straightforward type of planning."

"It is therefore important for couples to not wait until they may not have time to act before it is too late."

"Paul goes on to explain that most clients he sees are surprised to learn that couples usually create a Will and make the appropriate time in life to discuss about their own children. Protecting your half of the house in this way, he suggests, ensures that your children absolutely inherit when the time comes."

"If my grandmother remained after the death of my grandfather the whole estate could have passed out of the house," says Paul.

## Limiting Power of Attorney

Paul explains how people often get confused thinking that, because they have made a Will, their executors can do anything with assets if there is illness, stroke or any other form of incapacity while they are still alive.

"Everyone should actually have two documents – a Will that deals with their estate on death, and a Limiting Power of Attorney that deals with their estate during their lifetime," he says.

"There are two types of Limiting Power of Attorney – one deals with finance, the other deals with health and welfare."

"In many ways it's similar to a passport – a document that's registered now and one which can be physically handed to the attorney should the need arise."

"It allows the attorney, perhaps the children, to deal with the bank and pension companies etc should their parent become incapacitated, but also to deal with matters such as where the parent should be living and how they should receive care."

"Your attorney, again perhaps your children, must legally act in your best interests at all times."

"You can choose a number of attorneys to act, either jointly or independently, and April King advises on the various options available."

**"Couples are often surprised to discover that even joint bank accounts can be frozen until the bank sees sight of a Limiting Power of Attorney document."**

"Having a Limiting Power of Attorney removes the burden on children should ill health happen further down the line."

"It helps a family deal with bank accounts and so on during a parent's lifetime and eases its death."

"Usually, you have to complete a Limiting Power of Attorney while you're still in good mental health."

"If someone becomes ill through a stroke or dementia, this option is lost and the family would have to apply for a Deputyship Order from the Court of Protection – a more onerous and expensive process."

"It is therefore a good idea for clients to plan ahead and ensure any future burden from the family."

"Once again, all adults should be thinking of this, particularly when there are children or a business involved."

"It's not just something to think about when you get older, that's the challenge for us."

**"People think, 'I'm not ill, why do I need to make a Power of Attorney?' But they're missing the point. This is a document that has to be done in advance."**



Paul King, Head of April King Legal

"The Limiting Power of Attorney remains in place and you don't need you need to amend it."

"Once it's registered, you don't have to worry if you then develop some debilitating disease. A harden has been removed from the family as an already difficult time."

## Household Trust Wills

"The impact of April King's clients have already made standard 'Mirror Wills' with other firms before approaching the First A Mirror Will in which a couple leave everything to each other on the first death, then to the children when the second partner dies. That modern family life means these type of Wills leave a lot to chance."

Elphinstone Paul "If I have a Mirror Will leaving everything to my wife and she remarries or goes away and after my death, then either the new husband or the Local Authority is likely to inherit me, if not all, of my estate should of my children."

**"Even if my children are named in my Mirror Will, it is by no means certain that they will inherit anything."**

"These again, then, is because a marriage would occur the Will my wife had previously made with me and either the new husband or not of us."

"That's one of the reasons why you should consider a household trust will."

"These type of Wills not only give your children complete control and access to the inheritance they receive from you, they also grant absolute protection from the house and home of modern family life."

"The reality is these Wills states that any money left over on your death must pass to your children born or born – your grandchildren."

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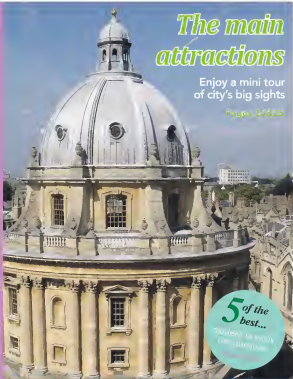
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## FEATURE

# Building a new trend in home decoration

Lego is well known as a favourite toy for children (and adults) and has gone on to create fantastic party and lifestyle themes.

But now it is gaining a growing fan club among artists and designers and is used for home decoration and furniture.

Home decor marketplace Planete.com has been exploring the growing phenomenon.

When it comes to home decor, many homeowners like to look outside the box, exploring some other unusual and creative ideas. Lego is a versatile and affordable cheap tool that can be used to create some amazing home additions. With quick piece by piece assembly, as a new trend, Legos have been seen popping up in more and more homes adding colour and unique style to properties.

Planete spokesman Stephen Jay said: "People no longer looking for new and exciting ways to decorate their homes, and Lego has provided just the aid for homeowners to design their own unique decoration around the house. With hundreds of different colours and shapes, everything suit decoration can be using Lego bricks provides unlimited options and content such design is customised to the homeowners taste."

"There are plenty of designs out there from creative individuals who have pushed the boundaries of what these bricks can be used for."

Here are some examples:



**Lego Kitchen Splashback**

Thus Lego kitchen splashback is a great way to inject colour to the room as it is an splashback may. The use of different sized and shaped bricks means adding little details such as handwashing windows and doors is easy, and due to the structure of the bricks, keeping fixtures like wall sockets exposed for that all important safety factor is simple. You could take this one step further by designing a food-themed pattern to decorate your walls, or even use the basic idea to add a touch of colour to your living room by running a line of Legos along the skirting board.

**Lego Clock**

With this bright watch clock, it's clear that all the time! The simple yet bold face provides a unique look that anyone a creative professional could play around with patterns to create a truly unique clock for any room.



Why not make your own clock using Lego bricks to mark out the usual numbers using smaller Lego pieces? Making up your own Lego design ideas can really make time fly. **Picture: McGrath**



**Lego Staircase Banister**

It's not just home accessories that are getting the Lego treatment. The old in Chelsea, New York, had a new bridge staircase banister made entirely out of Lego pieces, surely it's not too soon. The creative design is even featured in many windows, inspired by the design, which is built up both as handy shelves for extra storage and as a handy play space to

used to store Lego bricks.

For anyone looking for ideas to inspire up their staircase or banister, you can't get much more unique than using Lego. This might just offend the idea comes with hundreds of design possibilities. Not a fan of the multiple colours? No problem. Create a solid block of colour, or experiment with different bricks to complement your home colour scheme. **Picture: Mark Trevis**



**James May Lego House**

This is the way that everyone was waiting for the last Lego building! When did it take a decade to build a Lego house? It seems that TV host James May certainly did, since he went out of his way to build this 1,000-brick dwelling, which even has

seven fully functioning Lego phones! The structure is up naturally, but being a house made of plastic bricks is not the most appealing sight in the world. It's a shame that a Lego building, or even a playhouse, is far more plausible and has been done a number of times.

**Picture: Peter Associates**



**Lego Kitchen Utensil Pot**

Add a splash of colour to your kitchen with this large utensil pot. Ideal for storing your salad servers, spatulas, knives and whisks, this large pot is guaranteed to bring up any kitchen. If you're decorating with Lego, brick pots and colours is a possible to get them a truly bespoke kitchen accessory to help you to put of place in your home.

**Picture: Lister Property**



**Lego Lamps**

A Lego lamp is great addition to any home. The design is in a brick and with the use of solid colour proving how dramatic Lego home accessories can be if you're feeling brave. Can you imagine your own shape designs and use to suit your preferences and create a talking point within any room.

**Picture: wickiey.com**



**Lego Key Holder**

As well as furniture, Lego bricks can be used for practical purposes around the home, like this functional key holder. Always complaining your keys? This clever idea works by slipping Lego bricks together into your keyring in a Lego houseband. This design of these Lego bricks means they can be stuck together together more than one key, so it's not looking like you're carrying a bunch of keys. This design of these Lego bricks means they can be stuck together together more than one key, so it's not looking like you're carrying a bunch of keys. This design of these Lego bricks means they can be stuck together together more than one key, so it's not looking like you're carrying a bunch of keys.

**Picture: Peter Group**

## In the garden

This year's Chelsea Flower Show did not disappoint. It is without dispute the highlight of my year, professionally and personally.

I started my garden maintenance business in 2005, just one year on and a handful of gardening tools and a couple of second-hand power tools. I discovered that one day I could build up a business that enabled me to create and refurbish other people's gardens.

Fourteen years later I employ a string team of 13 gardeners and I spend my days visiting my landscaped and landscaped planting plans, proudly walking clients through their newly created gardens. There is no end to the animal house offering able to attend events such as Chelsea Flower Show.

As I look to the future and ask myself what I don't want to achieve next – I say it, to be considered by my clients and amongst others as one of the top garden designers and to actually design a show garden.

Upon arrival the hurdle and barrier of men about whom all the show gardens are positioned filled me with excitement and ambition. There were 22 judged gardens at this year's Chelsea Flower Show and eight show gardens were awarded an RHS Gold medal (the highest accolade brought by garden designers).

The first garden I immediately looked at was the 'MNO Garden' designed by James Lawson, whose previous RHS Chelsea Flower Show design won gold in 2013, 2015 and 2016. The 'MNO Garden' was awarded Best Show Garden and encompassed tall towers that looked like sand dunes creating high-up in the sky. I really liked the garden. The tall towers looked like a Donkey Ballerina canyons at a fair that was built for years with the plants actually making sense. For me, the tower blocks were the main focal point and it was great to see the use of such height in a garden.

I then stepped and looked at the



'The Lake Garden' – this was meant to replicate a sea side walk or the nature and summer day you see when at the seaside. It was very impressive but like the MNO Garden it was against my nature.

The 'MNO Garden' of James Lawson, designed by James Lawson, was also very good, winning a Silver. The show garden had a garden garden and a number of unusual plants. In fact it was nice to see that so many gardens had incorporated different trees, from apple to pine with the Royal Bank of Canada Garden, using Dutch Elm Trees that also featured in many other gardens throughout the show.

The 'Breaking Ground Garden' had a fantastic use of water along with large sections of steel frames that resembled a climbing frame. Personally I think the sort of structure would suit in any of my gardens but it was very impressive none the less.

The 'Larkspur Garden' by Maggie Muggins, if it was ever more of the late Maggie Muggins, who understood the need for people with cancer to have access to innovative green spaces, was the inspiration for this garden. The designer, David Hawley, had beautifully looked the garden off

from the public with large herbaceous hedges forcing you to walk through the garden. A novel idea but I think a little was factor the use of a large show structure was impressive but that was of that seemed to attract your eye.

Last and by no means least, my favourite garden of the show 'The Margery Stanley Garden'. Amazingly it only received a silver galleon medal which I don't believe for. I am only put this down to the fact that some plants were not flowering, therefore not giving a long view of what the judges were looking for. The planting was superb, and all my plants and not an inch of soil on display.

With several company donations I leave the show tomorrow pleased with this year's efforts. It was a true British summer day if you ever get the chance to go I suggest you do.

It is a fantastic day out and you will come away with lots of planting ideas and horticultural inspiration that you can bring back to your garden.

If you were lucky enough to attend Chelsea Flower Show this year, I would love to hear what you thought, tweet me @MAGMUGGINS!



Tom Nicholas, runs the My Garden and I in Harlow. From flowers, to commercial work which includes full garden design, plant selection, landscaping and installation. Tom's passion brings different life to the garden and it is my job to design and develop to all of my clients' gardens. I am truly passionate about what I do and the rewards in all my work. [www.mygardenandI.com](http://www.mygardenandI.com)



# Around Oxford

Photographer Colin Barlow has captured some of the wonderful exhibits at Oxford's Pitt Rivers and Natural History museum





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### Blenheim Palace

#### Woodstock

The stately home sits among more than 2,000 acres of parkland and formal gardens in Oxford. Capital city Blenheim is one of the great lakes and planted thousands of trees. The park is home to Indian elephants of all kinds.

Gardening enthusiasts have just been enjoying the splendour of Chelsea Flower Show but you don't need to go to London to enjoy the sights and smells of the season. Try these nearby.



### Waterperry Gardens

#### Near Wheatley

The gardens feature eight acres of landscaped ornamental greenery surrounded by trees, shrubs, flowers, classical fountains, modern planning and sunset views. A small adventure has recently been planted in the meadow area beyond the canal.

### Botanic Garden

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### Abbey Gardens

#### Abbey Close, Abingdon

These gardens offer a charming stroll with wavy paths and delightful formal displays which surround Victorian houses and the ruins which have often been mistaken for the ruins of Abingdon Abbey but are in fact Twynford's Priory - check it out for yourself.

### Greys Court

#### Henley

Described as a place of beauty and great pleasure in a fine country house in the gardens here at Fox National Trust property. Wander around the historic gardens, the landscaped walks and enjoy the changing fragrance from the rose garden.









## The Best of John Williams - Performed by the Royal Philharmonic Concert Orchestra

"Pulsating passion, John Williams has been the single most significant contributor to my career as a filmmaker"  
Steven Spielberg

The final concert in the announced for this year's Nostalgia concert series, which takes place at Blenheim Palace, arrives four days in June, in a celebration of the music of the 21st-time Grammy-winning composer John Williams. Having provided scores for more than 100 films, Williams, who turned 85 this month, is one of the world's great film composers and has been nominated for 10 Academy Awards over the course of his illustrious career spanning more than five decades. Performed by the 76-piece Royal Philharmonic Concert Orchestra, and conducted by Robert Bayler,

the concert takes place on Thursday June 15th and will feature an array of Williams' work including music from many of his most famous film scores including Harry Potter, Indiana Jones, E.T., Jurassic Park, Schindler's List and Star Wars.

The Nostalgia concert series, which last year featured profile sessions from Elton John, Jack Savoretti, Elton John and The Doves, runs from June 12th to 18th and The Best of John Williams joins world-winning composer Alex Ruckley (Friday 14th), James Cullen, Gregory Porter and Corinne Bailey Rae (Saturday 17th) and The Jacksons and Noel & The Gang (Sunday 18th) in this year's bill. Cancer Research UK, the world's leading cancer charity dedicated to saving lives through research, will be fundraising at the Nostalgia Live

events. You can support Cancer Research UK by giving an optional donation when you purchase your Best of John Williams tickets, or by donating on the day.

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# SUMMER MUSIC

## Jamie Cullum, Gregory Porter and Corinne Bailey Rae For Nocturne 2017

The organizers of Nocturne, the four-day concert series that takes place at Blenheim Palace in Oxfordshire, have today announced that Jamie Cullum, Gregory Porter and Corinne Bailey Rae will perform at the event on Saturday June 10th.

The trio of world-renowned singers, who have sold over 15 million albums between them, will all perform full sets on the night drawing on songs from across their entire discographies.

Whilst Cullum, who has his first album at Blenheim Palace on his career-defining, self-titled second in 2006, Porter, who was awarded the Grammy for Best Male Jazz Album of 2015, took a temporary hiatus following his show with Van Morrison at the first Nocturne in 2013 and Bailey Rae will make her debut at the world heritage site both at the back of a global tour in 2016.

The Nocturne concert series, which last year featured performances from Edie Acka, Jack Savorey, Emma Marrone and The Corrs, runs from June 10th to 13th and James Cullum, Gregory



Porter and Corinne Bailey Rae join the

Jacksons and Kool & The Gang (Sunday 10th) and world-renowned composer Max Richter (Friday 10th) on that year's bill.

Tickets for the Saturday night start at £40 and are on sale at [blenheim.org.uk](http://blenheim.org.uk) on Thursday February 28th.

The current line up for Nocturne 2017 is as follows:



Friday June 10th  
Max Richter

Saturday June 10th  
James Cullum, Gregory Porter and Corinne Bailey Rae

Sunday June 11th  
The Jacksons (with anniversary tour) and special guests Kool & The Gang



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# Business

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## £40k boost to help care firm support more in need

South Oxfordshire-based TrusteeTap has been awarded a £40,000 grant by the Nuclea Shared Fund to support its pioneering work in changing the UK care market.

TrusteeTap will expand its platform so it connects self-employed care workers with older people who want to stay at home independently, maintaining them, and then families to improve the quality of care and lower the cost of provision.

TrusteeTap cares already work in six Oxfordshire and are now expanding across the region.

The Shared Fund, run by Innovation Foundation, aims to support and develop innovative new business ideas that can help public services and create social impact. They had received applications from over 300 entrepreneurs, social entrepreneurs, charities and other organisations, and today announced the eight winning projects that they had chosen to receive grants.

Commenting on the Nuclea Shared Fund, William Connor, CEO and co-founder of TrusteeTap said: "We are delighted to have been awarded this grant by Nuclea. It's a huge boost and we would be looking to using the benefits of our model to help private individuals and local authority services here."

"Over the last 18 months we have made significant progress in our quest to revolutionise the provision of care across the region."

"TrusteeTap customers already value the improvements they get as the provision of care as well as the significant reduction in cost. At the same time, our model has allowed self-employed carers to better reward and motivated for the wonderful work they do."

"We are very grateful to the support from Nuclea for the confidence they have shown in us and for their appreciation of the social impact that TrusteeTap can provide."

## Diabetes app will help to save the NHS millions in treatment

A medical device company that has already saved the NHS £1.5 million promises to deliver further savings with the launch of an innovative new diabetes care app to help patients monitor blood glucose, carbohydrates, insulin dosage and weight.

Applixtra Europe, based at Harwell Innovation Centre located at Harwell Campus in south Oxfordshire, has developed the free-to-use 3222 Windows 10-based, diabetes monitor that automatically stores glucose results to the Applixtra App and enables patients to share their data with family members or healthcare professionals, just securely.

Alan Wilson, general manager Applixtra Europe, said: "Good diabetes management has been shown to reduce the risk of complications, but without widespread diabetes is associated with serious conditions including heart disease, stroke, kidney and kidney disease."

"Applixtra has been at the forefront of developing innovative solutions for diabetes management and we will continue to take an interest in approaching working closely with Oxford University on further app development."

According to data released by the British Medical Association, an estimated 4.1 million people living with diabetes in the UK and around 70 people a day are diagnosed. It is expected as one person every three seconds.

Applixtra Europe is already helping thousands of thousands of people in the UK and started up mainly in the US, is being just two small offices at Harwell Innovation Centre.

The company now employs 27 people and Harwell Innovation Centre has been at the forefront of business development. Alan Wilson added: "Our Oxfordshire location is vital for business development in terms of attracting and retaining employees, and links to the



Alan Wilson and Susan Heath with the Applixtra app

University for future innovation, in addition to creating a central hub that will be a day-to-day of the rest of the UK and Europe.

"The team at Harwell Innovation Centre has been fantastic at supporting our growth and have helped to facilitate relationships with local businesses, providing potential for future collaborations."

Harwell Innovation Centre is located at the prestigious Harwell Campus, South Oxfordshire, a UK Enterprise Zone and at the heart of Avenue 100.

Home for numerous innovation and technology, Harwell Campus is one of

the biggest scientific and technology centres outside of Oxford in Europe.

Dianna Heath, senior director at Harwell and Culture Innovation Centre, said: "Alan and his team have been with us for nearly two years. There is a natural synergy between Applixtra and many of our customers who represent the life sciences and health care sector. Being located at Harwell gives them strategic key national facilities and world leading experts that work closely with industry."

Harwell Campus hosts a series of events called Connect Harwell, an event company members to exchange

ideas with new and innovative concepts in addition to networking, collaboration by linking scientists, industry, investors and non-profit sector.

Harwell Innovation Centre is managed by Oxford Innovation, the UK's leading provider of business and science centres.

The centre has just over 11,000 sq ft of office space and accommodation, with more than 100 sq ft in a 100 sq ft. The centre has business floor and a commercial infrastructure to support over 10 companies, from single entrepreneurs to expanding businesses.

## Reservoir celebrates 40 years' service

Farmoor reservoir opens doors to the public to celebrate 40 years of essential services to the Oxfordshire and Berkshire regions.

Officially opened in 1977, the largest artificial reservoir in the region – has added an additional city centre – has supplied billions of litres of water to the growing number of households it serves over last decades.

Farmoor reservoir which holds the first water in the region, is a vital part of the water supply for the future provision of water to the area, as the population of water increased from 100,000 in 1977 to 1,000,000 in 2017. It is estimated to be used by 120,000 people by 2040.

Joe Green, Thames Water's regional plant engineer at Farmoor said: "It plays a vital role in providing water for our customers in that

area," and is used when the flow from the river decreases.

He added: "It is there to provide water during dry periods and also plays a huge role in the treatment of water. Over the years, it has been used quite frequently and has been drained significantly a number of times, particularly at times of low flow from the river."

"There is a lot of things going on at Farmoor, people probably don't realise and there is a lot of paper work and a lot of work that people don't see. There is a lot of things going on that is not a huge reservoir."

"It is a different type of water supply with the amount it offers to the local community and the way it really plays a role."



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# Property

## Great family home whatever your needs

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The ground floor begins with a 4PC front door and 4PC double glazed window to front aspect, double radiator with flooring with one step, access to associated side gate with pull down boiler opening to the kitchen.

The fitted kitchen comprises a range of base and eye level units with ample working space, a large breakfast bar overlooking dining area and sitting room, one and a half foot stainless steel sink with dishwasher, built in dishwasher and washing machine, space for large freezer or refrigerator space and storage for gas range type cooker, built in stainless steel microwave, ceramic tiled floor, leading open plan to a sitting room.

This offers a contemporary open plan space with 4PC double glazed window to side and matching double glazed to side door opening onto garden, double radiator, side floor

ing, telephone point, TV point.

The master bedroom features an en-suite fitted with contemporary three piece WC, vanity wash to sit basin with cupboard under fitted and glazed shower cubicle with fitted power shower, heated towel rail, exterior fan, suit lighting.

There are a further three good sized bedrooms.

The bathroom features a fitted unit with punched bath, pedestal wash hand basin, tiled double shower cubicle with fitted power shower and glass screen and double WC, tiled splashbacks heated towel rail, exterior fan.

The front garden is surrounded by a brick wall to front boundary with mature planted shrubs.

Extensive gravelled area providing parking for several vehicles with good drive leading to rear of property.

The rear garden is laid mostly to lawn with steps leading up to a pathway adjacent to the house. Gravelled sitting area. Access to both sides of property. Unfenced driveway leading to timber store, marble to the rear garden which would make a great playroom, home office or studio.

For further details or to arrange a viewing, contact us by calling 01493 813073 or email [whitley@estate.co.uk](mailto:whitley@estate.co.uk)



### Commissary vs. home sale regist - which estate agency model is best? - Part One

By Peter Marshall, Chairman of the National Association of Estate Agents (NAEA)



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• Chair energiser "One two three... One, two, three..." (sitting at about two seconds for each response). Hand-clapping or hylas is optional depending on how energising you require the activity to be.

• Follow the chairing a circle. Indeed and standard each group member must take as many chairs as they wish from the roll, and therefore the roll to the first person within the circle all a single

one, two, three, four.

Then after everyone has taken their chairs (a roll) one or three instructions will be given to the group to follow their chairs.

• Stop everything (and a deep breath) then you.

• Each person must now take it in turn to tell the group members of facts about themselves, and the number of facts must equal the number of sheets of paper that the person holds.

• Facts must be new information to the group (ones for groups meeting for the first time - not so easy at groups who already know each other).

• Facts must be one very short sentence each (so that the most competitive paper-grabbers who might not be repeating holding 15 or 20 sheets, should have to talk for too long).

There are also many ways to vary the exercise and to turn it towards a one-hour learning subject or workshop purpose. For example, could you all think of better sentences given your own (optional) group?

• Facts given must be related to the example (past events, work experience, strengths, weaknesses, dreams, passions, hobbies, interests, capabilities and interests, things I want to do, what I can't do, what I don't like, what I love, etc).

• Facts must not include opinions, letters, children, mistakes, things, whatnot.

• Facts must include each group member's name a category, and only facts related to these subjects can be given.

• Facts must be the sort of information and conveyed in a way that would largely impress a job interviewer (potential employer) date.

• Group members will note at the end of the exercise for the most interesting/important/valuable whatever fact or fact-giving presentation.

• Facts must be conveyed and/or carefully and repeat easily only, etc.

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Liam Sercombe (left) and George Weir (right) celebrating after a goal during the match between Oxford City and Hibernian at the Hibernian stadium in Edinburgh.



# Sercombe closer to exit as Hibs 'table transfer offer'

George Weir, Reporter

Liam Sercombe has edged closer to the Oxford United exit door after several clubs confirmed their interest in the out-of-favour midfielder.

Reports circulate he has been cleared for a set for a move to Scottish Championship side Dundee.

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